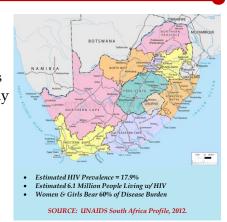
## United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief



## Partnership to Fight HIV/AIDS in South Africa

**A Decade of Impact: 2003 - 2013** 

The United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) was launched in 2003 and represents the largest foreign assistance initiative by any nation in history to combat a single disease. PEPFAR has invested more than 4.2 billion U.S. dollars in South Africa's response. The initiative is implemented by several United States Government agencies including the Agency for International Development, Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, the Department of Defense, the Department of State, the Health Resources & Services Administration, the National Institutes of Health and Peace Corps.



2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	ARVs (09-10)
\$89.3	\$143.3	\$221.6	\$397.8	\$590.9	\$561.3	\$560.4	\$549.1	\$523.7	\$484.0	\$120.0

<sup>\*</sup> In millions of U.S. dollars

The United States has worked in partnership with national, provincial and local governments, non-governmental and faith-based organizations, and with academia and the private sector to scale up life-saving HIV/AIDS prevention, care and treatment services across South Africa. In its first phase, PEPFAR rapidly scaled up HIV/AIDS prevention, care and treatment services through a combination of international and local partners. In its second phase, PEPFAR is focused on ensuring a sustainable national response to HIV/AIDS and working towards the goal of an AIDS-free generation.

The Partnership Framework Implementation Plan (PFIP) in support of South Africa's National HIV, STI & TB response signed in August 2012, outlines the United States and South African governments' joint investments through 2017 to further reduce HIV infections and strengthen health systems through the provision of technical assistance and targeted service delivery. The U.S. government will continue to provide comprehensive technical assistance for HIV/AIDS care and treatment services while also implementing targeted prevention programs, driving health systems innovation, supporting programs for orphans and vulnerable children and building country capacity in data-driven decision making, laboratory diagnostics, human resource development and training, supply chain management and other areas critical to strengthen the national health system.

During the 2013 fiscal year, the PEPFAR program's co-investment and partnership with the South Africa government and implementing partners has led to the following achievements:

- 2,400,000 million HIV-positive individuals on antiretroviral treatment
- Reduction in mother-to-child transmission rate of HIV to less than 3%
- 6,617,300 individuals received HIV counseling and testing
- 295,000 men received medical male circumcision as part of a package of prevention services
- 177,000 orphans and vulnerable children were reached with care services

South Africa has also benefitted through grants from the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, to which the United States is the largest single contributor. For more information on Global Fund grants, visit <a href="www.theglobalfund.org">www.theglobalfund.org</a>

## Additional Information:

PEPFAR South Africa Website: http://southafrica.usembassy.gov/pepfar.html

 $South\ Africa\ Partnership\ Framework\ \&\ Implementation\ Plan:\ \underline{http://southafrica.usembassy.gov/pepfar\_framework2.html}$ 

South Africa Global Fund Grant Portfolio: <a href="http://portfolio.theglobalfund.org/en/Country/Index/ZAF">http://portfolio.theglobalfund.org/en/Country/Index/ZAF</a>

Vacancies for PEPFAR Staff Positions within U.S. Mission: http://americanembassy.pnet.co.za

Information on PEPFAR Funding Opportunities: www.grants.gov

Information about PEPFAR Community Grants Opportunities: <a href="http://southafrica.usembassy.gov/self-help.html">http://southafrica.usembassy.gov/self-help.html</a>



